INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAKING BOOKINGS AND FOR GUIDED TOURS AT MIRAVET CASTLE

1. BOOKINGS FOR EXTERNAL ORGANISED GROUPS

The instructions in this section are for travel agencies, tourist sector companies, education centres or other intermediaries who wish to make a visit to the monument with their own guide.

MAKING BOOKINGS

- Bookings must be made with at least 15 days' notice. We cannot guarantee that bookings made at shorter notice will be accepted.
- All bookings must be sent to the central booking office, at Santes Creus Royal
 Monastery, by email to reservesmonuments.acdpc@gencat.cat.
- booking form for external organised groups available from the booking office:

 date, time and duration of the visit, name and email address of the contact

 person from the company making the booking (in order to send the confirmation

 letter to them), name and telephone number or email address of the contact

 person for the group visiting the monument, total number of visitors, number of

 groups, number of accompanying persons, type of group and/or educational level

 (school party, group of adults, etc.) and origin of the group (village, town or city,

 name of the education centre, association, travel agency, tour operator, etc.). If

 any member of the group has special educational needs and/or reduced mobility,

 this must be mentioned when making the booking. This information is required to

 ensure that the monument has the capacity to accept the booking, as well as to

 adapt the tour to the characteristics of the group.

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If all the information is supplied, the booking office will send a confirmation letter

in the week prior to the tour detailing the time arranged for the group to enter the

monument. If the information supplied is not complete, the booking office will

return the booking form by email.

On the day of the tour, the person responsible for the group must present the

confirmation letter at the entrance to the monument. It is important that you

carefully check the booking identification details and the specifications given in this

letter. If it is found that the details provided by the company in the booking form do

not match those of the group that arrives at the monument, the booking office

reserves the right to cancel the tour.

If you wish to receive information, this need only be indicated. The data you provide will

become part of the Catalan Agency of Cultural Heritage database and will be handled in

accordance with the terms of European Regulation (EU) 2016/679. The user will retain

at all times the rights of access, rectification, deletion, limitation, opposition and

portability of data, which may be exercised by writing an email to

lopd.acdpc@gencat.cat or a letter addressed to Responsable LOPD, Agència Catalana de

Patrimoni Cultural, Palau Moja, Portaferrissa 1, 08002 Barcelona.

CHANGES AND CANCELLATIONS

Travel agencies, companies, education centres or other intermediaries must notify the

booking office in advance of any changes to the number of participating people,

accompanying persons or schedules. The monument does not guarantee that the

occupation of the space can be rearranged.

Guided tours have set starting and finishing times for the occupation of the space. If a

group arrives late, the guide will wait for a maximum of 30 minutes and the tour will be

adapted to the time remaining. If the delay is more than 30 minutes, the tour will be

cancelled.

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CHARACTERISTICS OF THE GROUPS

Groups must not under any circumstances exceed a maximum of **30 visitors**.

Each group must always have at least one assigned accompanying person. Under no

circumstances may more people join the group during the guided tour.

School or tourist groups must not engage in any activity inside the monument

without prior authorisation, which must be requested at the time the space booking

form is submitted. This activity must be carried out under the supervision of the

teachers or accompanying persons, in silence and without disturbing the regular

activity of the monument.

The instructions of the monument staff must be followed at all times and will take

precedence over any others to guarantee the safety of groups and persons.

SPECIFICATIONS OF THE MONUMENT

The monument staff may restrict admission on capacity or safety grounds.

No more than three groups can visit the monument simultaneously. This number

may be affected if the monument's education services are conducting an activity. To

guarantee the satisfactory provision of the service, the times of each group's visit

will be arranged to prevent two groups from being in certain spaces at the same

time.

Miravet Castle is not adapted for people with reduced mobility.

WHILE ACTIVITIES ARE IN PROGRESS

To guarantee the satisfactory provision of the service, the group must arrive

punctually at the time assigned.

Teachers and/or accompanying persons will be responsible for the behaviour of the

group.

Under no circumstances may teachers and/or accompanying persons leave the

group alone or accompanied only by monument staff.

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Visitors are asked to show respect and pay attention during tours.

No voice amplification device or similar equipment may be used during tours.

• Running, jumping or climbing onto the walls of monuments are not permitted.

Eating and drinking in heritage sites and monuments are not permitted. The booking

office will provide information about the location of nearby areas set up for the

purpose.

Monument staff may terminate the visit at any time if minimum standards of behaviour

are not met.

MONUMENT ENVIRONS

Groups are responsible for disposing of any waste they produce inside or around the

monuments.

No geological, archaeological or palaeontological samples may be collected inside or

around the monuments.

Groups are advised to wear clothing and footwear appropriate for the surroundings and

the weather conditions. If in doubt, enquiries may be addressed to the booking office

by email to reservesmonuments.acdpc@gencat.cat.

2. BOOKINGS FOR GROUPS TAKING THEIR TOUR WITH THE MONUMENT'S EDUCATION

SERVICES

The instructions in this section are for education centres, associations, travel agencies

and private individuals who wish to visit the monument and would like to use the

monument's education and guided tour services.

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Bookings must be made at the booking office at Santes Creus Royal Monastery, by

calling **977 638 329** or by emailing reservesmonuments.acdpc@gencat.cat.

To make the booking, the following information must be provided: contact name

and email address in order to send out the confirmation letter, total number of

visitors and nature of the group (group of adults, group of adults and children, etc.).

If any member of the group has special needs and/or reduced mobility, this must be

mentioned. This information is required to ensure that the monument has the

capacity to accept the booking, as well as to adapt the tour to the characteristics of

the group.

• The booking office will send to the address provided a confirmation letter detailing

the time of the visit and the guide(s) assigned. This letter must be shown at the

entrance to the monument. It is important to check the booking identification data

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